

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
NASHVILLE DIVISION**

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| R.K., et al., |) | |
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| Plaintiffs, |) | |
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| v. |) | No. 3:21-cv-00725 |
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| GOVERNOR BILL LEE, in his official capacity as GOVERNOR OF TENNESSEE, et al., |) | Chief Judge Crenshaw Magistrate Judge Frensley |
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| Defendants. |) | |

**JOINT NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT AND
PLAINTIFFS' UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR ATTORNEYS' FEES AND
VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL**

By their signature below, the Parties advise the Court that requisite approvals have been obtained from the Tennessee Attorney General, the Tennessee Comptroller of the Treasury, and the Governor of Tennessee for the State's portion (*see* Order, Doc. No. 150), and that they have finalized a settlement as to the sole remaining issue in this action, the matter of attorney's fees and costs. Defendant Governor Lee agrees to pay Plaintiffs Two Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$240,000) in attorney's fees and costs. Defendant Governor Lee shall pay \$92,956.56 to Gilbert Law, PLC; \$26,736.00 to Salonus Firm, PLC; and \$120,307.44 to Donati Law Firm, PLLC. Additionally, Defendants Williamson County Board of Education and Franklin Special School District each agree to pay Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) in attorney's fees and costs. Each shall pay attorney's fees and costs in the following amounts: \$968.30 to Gilbert Law, PLC; \$278.50 to Salonus Firm, PLC; and \$1,253.20 to Donati Law Firm, PLLC. All matters at

issue now being resolved, Plaintiffs request, with the approval of Defendants, that the Court enter an order of voluntary dismissal with prejudice pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(2).

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that on January 22, 2024, a copy of the foregoing document was filed electronically. Notice of this filing will be sent by operation of the Court's electronic filing system to the parties and their counsel listed below. Parties may access this filing through the Court's electronic filing system.

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